



# Doongalla Stables Extended Loop



4 h 30 min to 6 h 30 min



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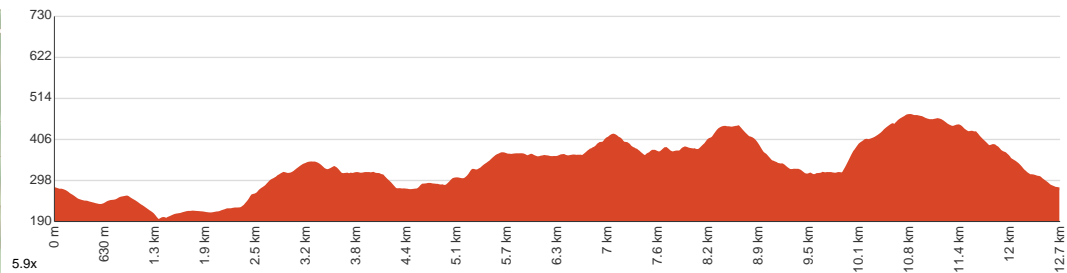
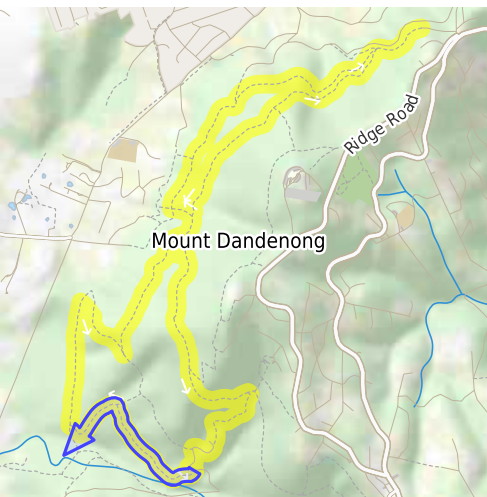


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Moderate track

Starting near the Doongalla Stables Picnic Area, at the end of Doongalla Forest Road, Mount Dandenong, this walk takes you on a generous loop within the Dandenong Ranges National Park via the Stables, Edgar, Camelia, Fireline and Dacite tracks. Enjoy this hike through the Doongalla Forest, surrounded by ferns, trees, and birds, with beautiful views along the way. The trail is wide, flat and well signposted. It has some challenging hills, and is suited for moderately fit walkers. Let us begin by acknowledging the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we travel today, and pay our respects to their Elders past and present.



Class 3 of 6

Formed track, with some branches and other obstacles

**Quality of track**

Clear and well formed track or trail (2/6)

**Gradient**

Short steep hills (3/6)

**Signage**

Directional signs along the way (3/6)

**Infrastructure**

Generally useful facilities (such as fenced cliffs and seats) (2/6)

**Experience Required**

No experience required (2/6)

**Weather**

Weather generally has little impact on safety (2/6)

**Getting to the start:** From Burwood Highway, 26

- Turn on to Dorset Road then drive for 2.6 km
- Turn right onto Boronia Road, 36 and drive for another 530 m
- At roundabout, take exit 2 onto Boronia Road, 36 and drive for another 590 m
- At roundabout, take exit 1 onto Forest Road, 36 and drive for another 1.9 km
- At roundabout, take exit 2 onto Basin - Olinda Road and drive for another 650 m
- Turn left onto Sheffield Road and drive for another 430 m
- Turn right onto Doongalla Road and drive for another 560 m
- Keep left onto Simpsons Road and drive for another 2.1 km

## Before you start any journey ensure you;

- Tell someone you trust where you are going and what to do if you are late returning
- Have adequate equipment, supplies, skills & knowledge to undertake this journey safely
- Consider weather forecasts, park/track closures & fire dangers
- Can respond to emergencies & call for help at any point
- Are healthy and fit enough for this journey

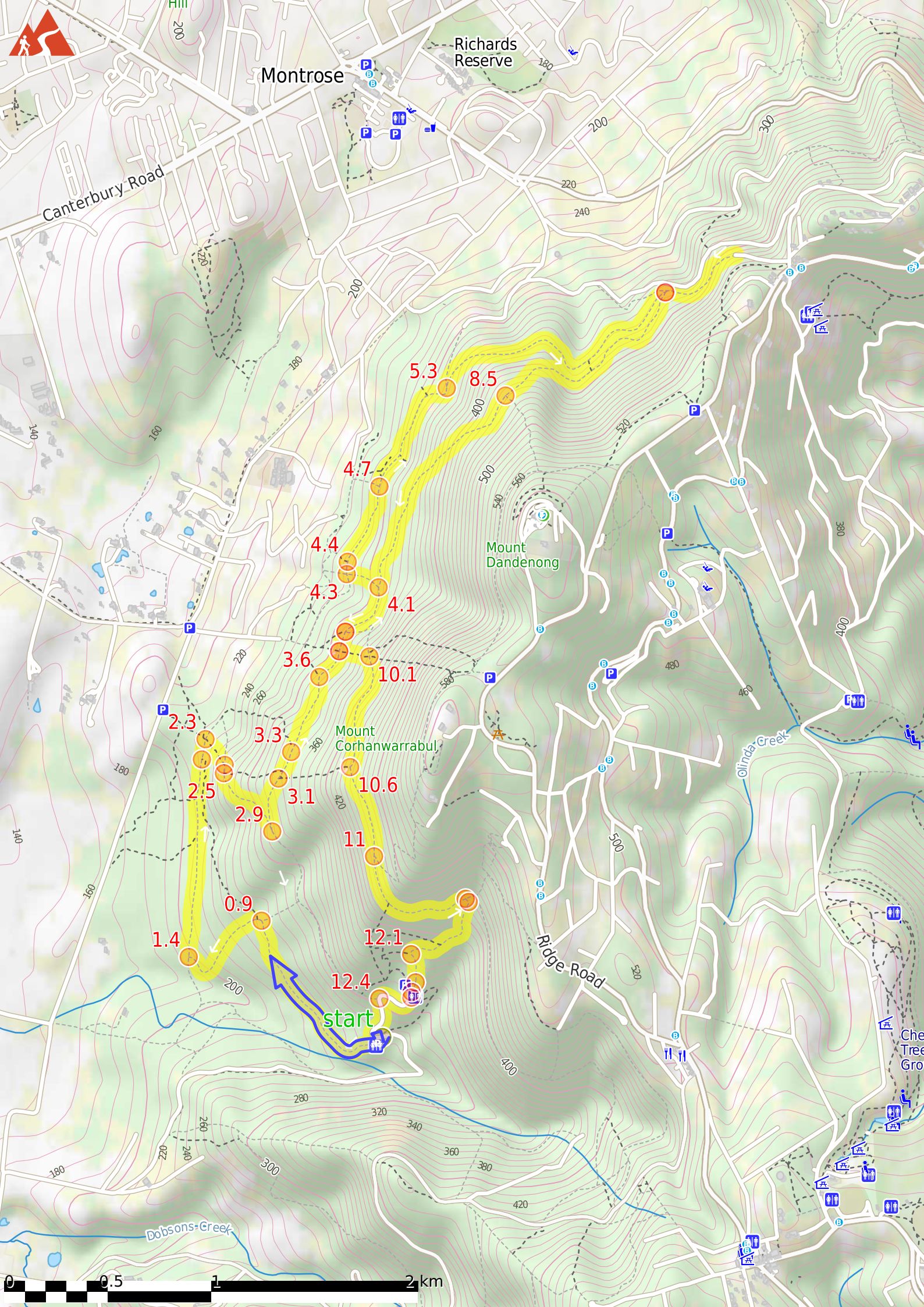
If not, change plans and stay safe. It is okay to delay and ask people for help.

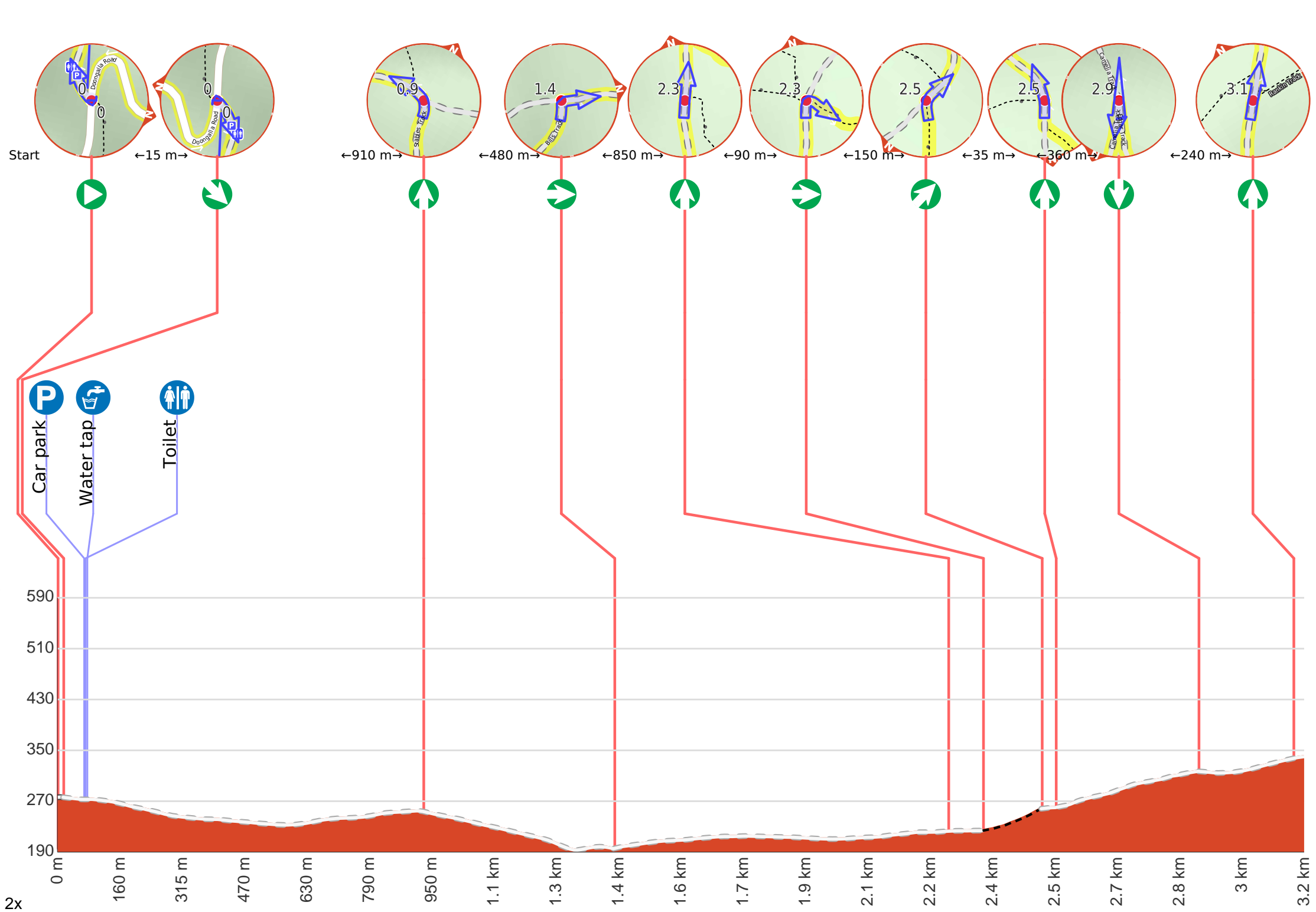
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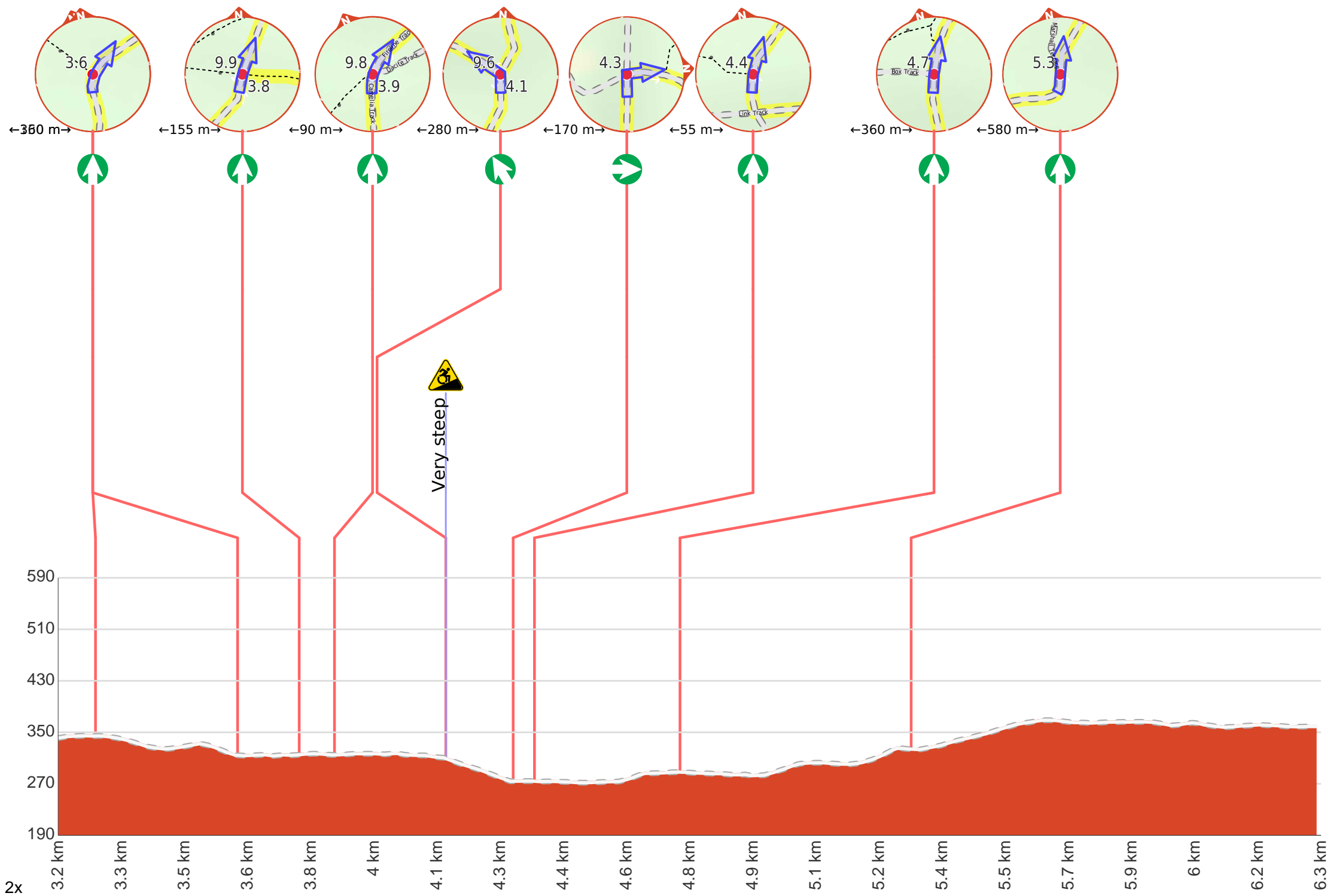
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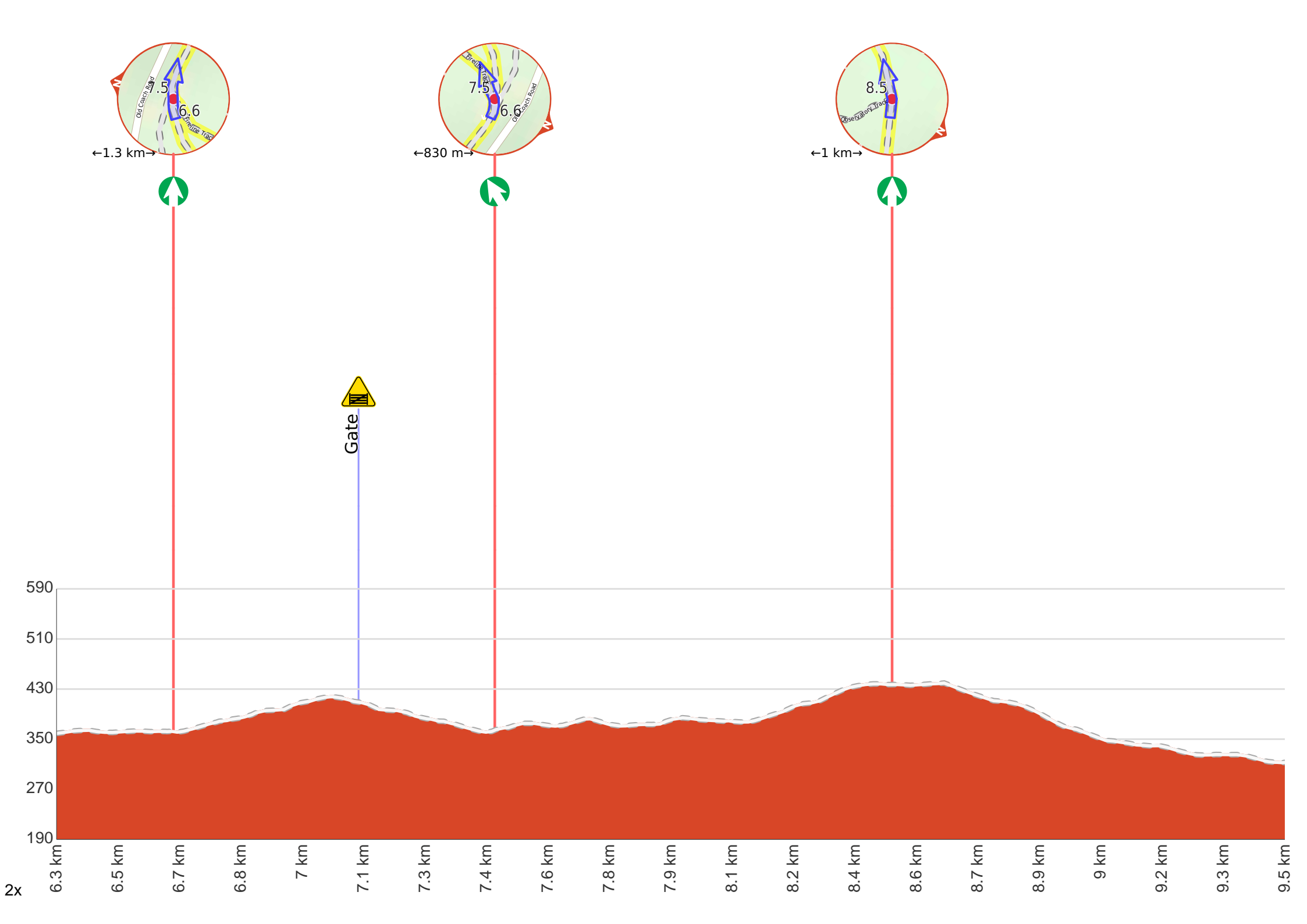


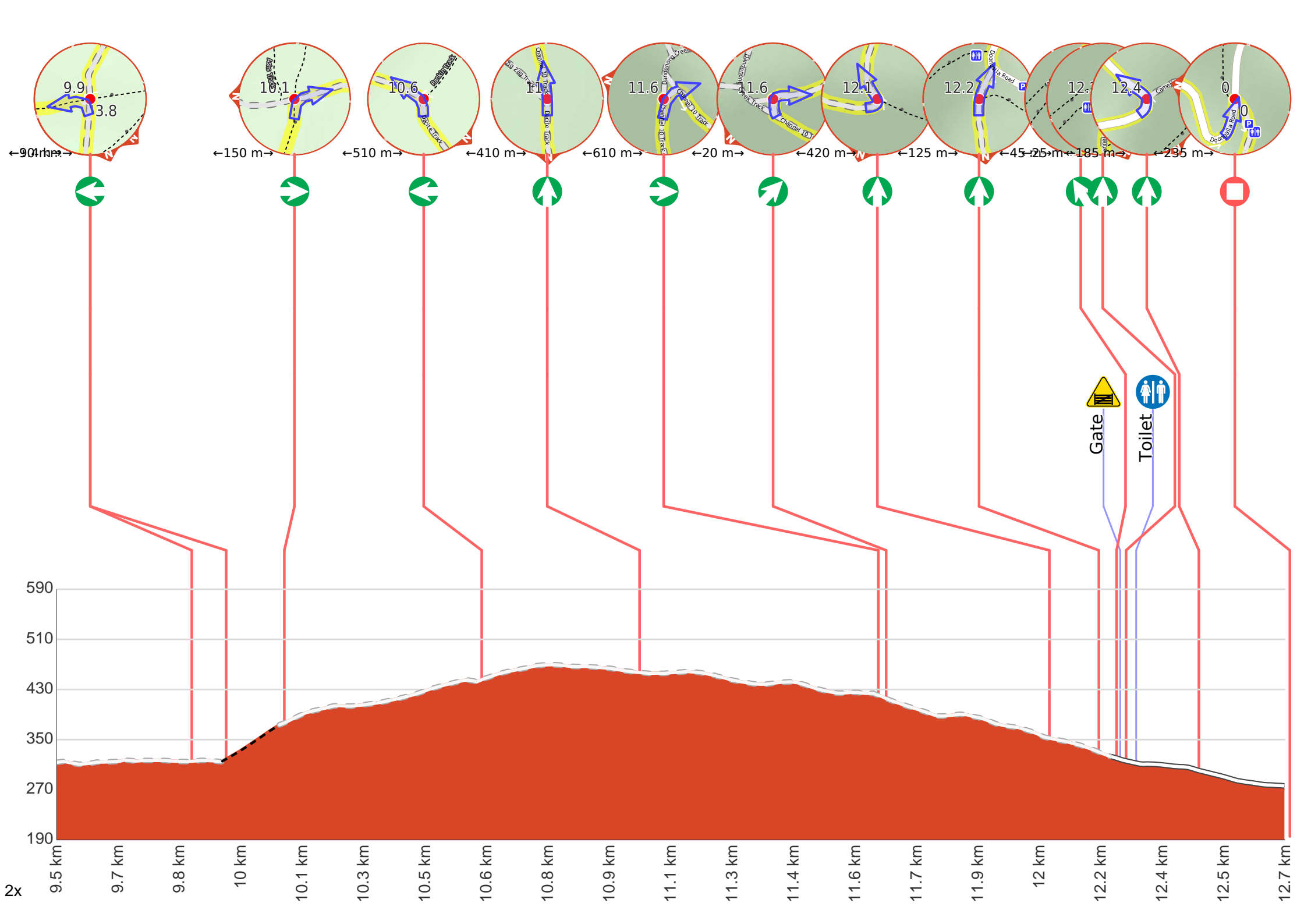


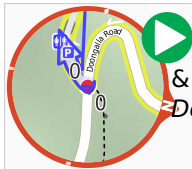




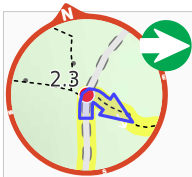




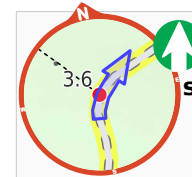




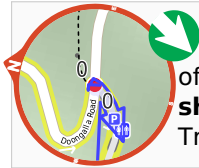
At the intersection of Doongalla Road & Stables Track **Start** heading along *Doongalla Road* (a service road).



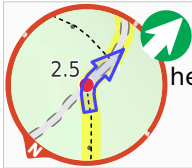
After another 90 m **turn right**.



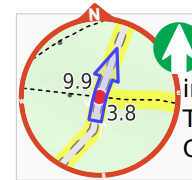
After another 360 m **continue straight**, to head along Camelia Track.



After another 15 m (at the intersection of Stables Track & Doongalla Road) **turn sharp right**, to head along Stables Track (a vehicle track).



After another 150 m **veer right**, to head along Edgar Track.



After another 155 m (at the intersection of Camelia Track & Glasgow Track) **continue straight**, to head along Camelia Track.



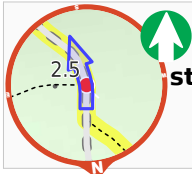
After another 50 m to find the car park.



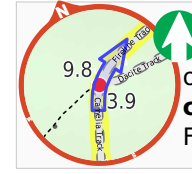
After another 8 m pass the water tap (15 m on your right).



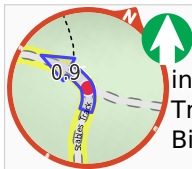
Then pass the toilet (7 m on your left). This toilet is male and female.



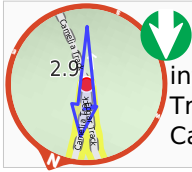
After another 35 m **continue straight**, to head along Edgar Track.



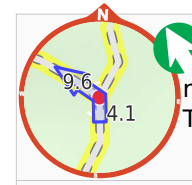
After another 90 m (at the intersection of Fireline Track & Dacite Track) **continue straight**, to head along Fireline Track.



After another 860 m (at the intersection of Bills Track & Stables Track) **continue straight**, to head along Bills Track.



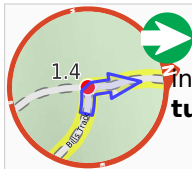
After another 360 m (at the intersection of Edgar Track & Camelia Track) **turn around**, to head along Camelia Track.



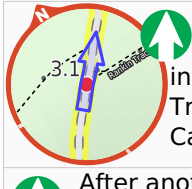
After another 280 m (014Link Track on right) **veer left**, to head along Link Track.



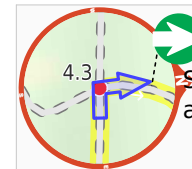
Then head down the very steep (20% ~ 11.3°) incline (about 170 m long)



After another 480 m (at the intersection of Edgar Track & Bills Track) **turn right**, to head along Edgar Track.



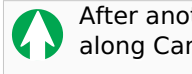
After another 240 m (at the intersection of Camelia Track & Rankin Track) **continue straight**, to head along Camelia Track.



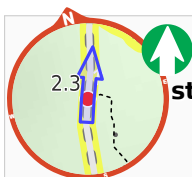
At the intersection of Link Track & Singleton Terrace **turn right**, to head along Singleton Terrace.



After another 680 m **continue straight**, to head along Edgar Track.



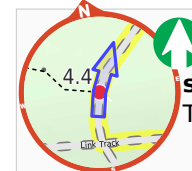
After another 10 m **continue straight**, to head along Camelia Track.



After another 165 m **continue straight**, to head along Edgar Track.



After another 120 m (at the intersection of Camelia Track & Birthday Hill Track) **continue straight**, to head along Camelia Track.



After another 55 m **continue straight**, to head along Singleton Terrace.

